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PRODUCING A WAVEFORM BASED ON  
A STYLE-OF-RENDITION MODULE

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98, Applicants submit for consideration in the above-identified application the documents listed on the attached Form PTO-1449, including English abstracts. Copies of the documents are also submitted herewith. The Examiner is requested to make these documents of record.

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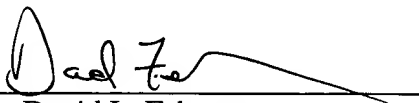
Applicants would appreciate the Examiner initialing and returning the Form PTO-1449, indicating that the information has been considered and made of record herein.

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